

ABSTRACT

The invention relates to a tool for closing and separating pluggable quick acting closure couplings for hydraulic lines (12), comprising two engaging elements (18), each of which can be engaged with a coupling half (14, 16) of the quick acting closure coupling (10) and an actuation mechanism (20) enabling the plug-in movement of the coupling halves (14, 16) by performing a reciprocal relative movement of the engaging elements (18). In order to ensure reliable and simple operation, the actuation mechanism (20) has a linear guide (28) consisting of two guide parts (32, 34) that can be moved linearly one towards the other. The engaging elements (18) protrude crosswise with respect to the guide track (30) in each of the guide parts as projections.